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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. BP2059CON

First Inventor Shahla Khorram

Title VARIABLE GAIN RECEIVED SIGNAL STRENGTH INDICATOR

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

**ADDRESS TO:**Box Patent Application  
Washington, DC 202311. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17)  
(submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 16]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)  
-Descriptive title of the invention  
-Cross Reference to Related Applications  
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-Background of the invention  
-Brief Summary of the invention  
-Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
-Detailed Description  
-Claim(s)  
-Abstract of the Disclosure4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Pages 5]

5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 2]

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Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))  
b. ☒ (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
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1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.767. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or  
Computer Program (Appendix)8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)  
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Prior application information:

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